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☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

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For Claims as Amended

	Claims Remaining After <u>Amendment</u>		Highest Number Previously <u>Paid for</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Addl. <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	9	Minus	20	=	0	x \$50/\$25 =	\$-0-
Independent Claims	1	Minus	3	=	x	\$200/\$100 =	\$-0-
Total additional fee for this amendment							\$-0-

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